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VIA CM/ECF AND REGULAR MAIL

The Honorable Michael A. Shipp, U.S.D.J.
United States District Court for the District of New Jersey
Clarkson S. Fisher Building & United States Courthouse
402 East State Street
Trenton, New Jersey 08608

Re: *Struck v. Platkin.*
Civil Action No. 3:24-cv-09479-MAS-JTQ

Benton v. Platkin
Civil Action No. 1:24-cv-07098-KMW-MJS

Dear Judge Shipp:

Enclosed please find **one courtesy copy** of Defendants' Reply Brief in Support of Their Motion to Consolidate the above-referenced matters. Please also be advised that, pursuant to Local Civil Rule 42.1, this motion has been electronically filed in the earlier filed docket, 1:24-cv-07098-KMW-MJS, and a copy of this cover letter will be submitted to the Clerk of Court to be filed on the later filed docket, 3:24-cv-09479-MAS-JTQ.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure (Motion to Consolidate Reply Brief)

